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**MEETINGS.**

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the DEWEY HOTEL COMPANY will take place on MONDAY, June 4, 1906, at 2 p. m., at its office, 130 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va.

HENRY F. WOODARD, Secretary,  
my10 1d

A MEETING of the stockholders of the POTOMAC HOTEL COMPANY will be held at the company's office, 120 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on June 4, 1906, at 3:30 p. m.

W. W. BROWN, Secretary,  
my21 1d

**ANNUAL MEETING NOTICE.**—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of THE WASHINGTON REAL ESTATE COMPANY will be held in the principal office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on Monday, June 4, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may be properly presented at the meeting.

Books for the transfer of stock will be closed on Saturday, May 26th, to Tuesday, June 5th, 1906, both dates inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors,  
WILLIAM H. NADEN, Secretary,  
my21 2d 1d

**STOCKHOLDERS' NOTICE.**—The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the ANACOSTIA BRICK COMPANY will be held at the office of C. C. Carlin, 107 north Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on Monday, June 4, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

HARRY A. BECK, Secretary,  
my24 1d

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O. G. BROTHERS, Jr., Secretary,  
my28 1d

**THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the REMMIS-KELLY COMPANY** will be held at its principal office, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on the 5th day of June, 1906, at 3:30 o'clock p. m.

EDWARD J. KELLY, Secretary,  
my29 1d

**ANNUAL MEETING.**—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON ASPHALT BLOCK & TILE CO. will be held at the office of the company, No. 105 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on June 5th, 1906, at 12 m., for the purpose of electing 15 trustees to serve during the ensuing year and for such other purposes as may be properly presented.

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P. MALONEY, President, my21 1d

**TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE COLUMBIAN SMOKELESS FURNACE COMPANY.**—You are hereby notified that at 5 o'clock p. m., on June 12, 1906, at the office of Douglas Stuart, 396 Prince street, Alexandria, Virginia, the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the COLUMBIAN SMOKELESS FURNACE COMPANY will be held, at which meeting, in addition to the regular business of the company, the members present will consider and set upon a certain order for the purchase of patents owned by the company, made by Allan S. Tomson, which order will be presented in detail before the meeting.

ALBERT F. KINGOLEY,  
President of the Columbian Smokeless Furnace Company, my26 1d

**NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.**—A special meeting of the stockholders of THE EMERSON STEAM PUMP COMPANY will be held at its principal office, the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at 11 o'clock a. m., on THURSDAY, the 14th day of June, 1906, to consider the issue of first mortgage bonds and the securing of the payment of the same and the interest thereon.

By order of the Board of Directors,  
R. BRUCE EMERSON, Secretary, my12 1d

**NOTICE** is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the VIRGINIA PHOSPHATE AND PAINT COMPANY, called at the request of a majority of the stockholders of the company, will be held at the branch office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on SATURDAY, June 16, 1906, at 12 m., to consider and vote upon the closing up of the business of the company, the disposition of its assets and the surrender of its charter.

CARL SHOEMAKER, Secretary,  
my14 1d

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A good many people make the mistake of going to Washington to get something they could buy at home, do not look for it here, just jump to the conclusion that such things are not to be had in Alexandria.

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**DEPOSIT**

**Alexandria Gazette.**

FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 1, 1906.

**Hicks for June.**

A regular storm period is central on the 1st extending to June 4. The normal results should be decided rise of temperature, with falling barometer, increasing humidity, all meeting into cloudiness, with rain, wind and thunder storms. Rise of barometer and shift to cooler, westerly winds will result about the 3rd to 5th.

A storm period is central on the 6th, 7th and 8th and rain. Expect a return of falling barometer and storms.

A regular storm period from the 11th to the 16th. This period to bring heavy rains and thunder storms.

The crisis will fall within forty-eight hours of sunset on the 12th. General and destructive hail will be a marked feature, with cloud bursts and possible tornadoes over central to northwestern sections. Sudden change to cooler will follow with snow squalls and frosts in extreme north.

A reactionary storm period centers on the 18th to the 21st and will bring changes of barometer, temperature, humidity and wind currents, causing an excess of lightning and thunder, if not a series of cloudbursts and solistic rain storms. The first stages of all the June period promise to be excessively warm, followed by sudden change to unseasonable cool.

A regular storm period runs from the 23rd to the 27th. If heavy storms of rain, wind and thunder do not appear peculiar and phenomenal results will convulse the elements of earth and sky.

A reactionary storm period is central on Friday and Saturday, the 29th and 30th. Falling barometer, very high temperature and energetic thunder, rain and hail storms are more than probable on and touching that date. These disturbances will not reach the eastern States before the opening of July.

**Long Tennessee Fight.**

For twenty years W. L. Rawls, of Belle, Tenn., fought a losing battle. He writes: "The swelling and soreness in my nose was fearful, till I began applying Bucklen's Arnica Salve to the nose surface; this cured the soreness and swelling to disappear, never to return." Best salve in existence. 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, Druggists.

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**Tippling Barred.**

After June 15 men and women in Virginia will have to be extremely careful about their methods in tipping waiters, bellboys, Pullman-car-porters and other employees of public establishments with a view of getting more than their money's worth.

By the provisions of the anti-graft bill, which was approved March 15, servants are placed in the same class with agents and employees, and persons tipping waiters with a view of getting more than they really pay for are as liable to fine and jail imprisonment as the waiters accepting the tips.

That portion of the act which specifically covers the sections of servants and makes them criminal is in the first part of the first section, and reads as follows: "Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia, That any person who gives, offers or promises to an agent any gift or gratuity whatever, without the knowledge and consent of the principal, employer or master of such agent, employee or servant, with intent to influence his action in relation to his principal's business, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$100, or by such fine and imprisonment for not more than one year."

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**LEGAL NOTICES.**

**VIRGINIA.**—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of Alexandria, on the 17th day of May, 1906,  
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Matilda Brown.

Memo. The objects of this suit is to have her marriage between the complainant and defendant, heretofore celebrated, declared null and void, and to procure the custody of the two minor children, George Thomas Brown and Elias Henry Brown.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Matilda Brown, is not a resident of this State. It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House in this city.

A copy.  
CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.  
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.  
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All-wood Smyrna Rugs, \$2.25 value..... \$1.38  
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